

*OLEA* spp. (Oleaceae), 56328 and 56329. From China. Seeds collected by J. F. Rock, Agricultural Explorer of the Bureau of Plant Industry. Quoted notes by Mr. Rock.

56328. "(No. 6737. November 21, 1922.) A large tree 50 feet high, with a trunk a foot in diameter and whitish bark, which grows wild in the forests beyond Wolung and Chienmachin, north of Tengyueh. The narrowly oblong, leathery leaves are dark green and the small, oval, bluish black, juicy fruits are borne in clusters below the leaves."

56329. "(No. 6741. November 29, 1922.) A tree 30 feet or more in height, found in the Shweli Valley, two days' travel northeast of Tengyueh, near Chiangtso and Chuchi. It has elliptical leaves and small, oval, bluish black, juicy fruits."

*ORYZA SATIVA* (Poaceae), 56554. Rice. From Manila, Philippine Islands. Seeds presented by Adn. Hernandez, director, Bureau of Agriculture. "(No. 5.) 'Cayading a Nalabaga.' A white, bearded, non-glutinous variety tested for 4 years under lowland conditions at the Rosales Rice Station, Rosales, Pangasinan. It matures usually in 187 days and the average yield per hectare is 2,502 kilograms (approximately 2,200 pounds per acre)." (Hernandez.)

*PHOTINIA* spp. (Malaceae), 56330 and 56331. From China. Seeds collected by J. F. Rock, Agricultural Explorer of the Bureau of Plant Industry. Quoted notes by Mr. Rock.

56330. "(No. 6800. October, 1922.) A tree 25 feet high from the western slopes of the Likiang Snow Range, in the Ashi Road Forest, at an altitude of 10,000 to 11,000 feet. The flowers are white and the small orange-red fruits are in large terminal panicles."

56331. "(No. 6815. October, 1922.) An ornamental shrub 5 to 6 feet high, from limestone meadows in the Likiang Snow Range. It has very narrow leaves and clusters of dark-carminc fruits."

*PIERIS* sp. (Ericaceae), 56332. From China. Seeds collected by J. F. Rock, Agricultural Explorer of the Bureau of Plant Industry. "(No. 7660. November 27, 1922.) A shrub 6 to 8 feet high, with white flowers, collected on the summit of Hsuehshanting at an altitude of 11,000 feet." (Rock.)

*PINUS ARMANDI* (Pinaceae), 56333. Pine. From China. Seeds collected by J. F. Rock, Agricultural Explorer of the Bureau of Plant Industry. "(No. 6792. Likiang. October, 1922.) A pine tree 90 feet or more tall, with a straight trunk, common at altitudes above 8,000 feet in the northern part of Yunnan; also from the Black River Valley to Talifu and Likiang." (Rock.)